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Re: VNA of Rhode Island, PRRB Case. No. 2003-D42, (8/5/03) (FYE 9/30/97)

I recommend that the Administrator, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, decline to review the decision entered by the Provider Reimbursement Review Board in this case.

/s/

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APPROVED:

Date: 9/2/2003

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